



ADVANCED GRAZING MANAGEMENT SUPPLEMENTAL PAYMENT

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Supplemental Payment – Advanced Grazing Management

CONSERVATION PRACTICE: 314 - Brush Management; 315 - Herbaceous Weed Control; 338 - Prescribed Burning; 382 - Fence; 472 - Access Control; 511 - Forage Harvest Management; 528 - Prescribed Grazing; 590 - Nutrient Management; 595 - Integrated Pest Management; 645 - Upland Wildlife Habitat Management

APPLICABLE LAND USE: Pasture & Range, Forest (Conifer)

RESOURCE CONCERN: Soil, Water, Animals, Plants & Air

ENHANCEMENT LIFE SPAN: Dependent upon Component Enhancement

Activity Description

The Advanced Grazing Management (AGM) Supplemental Payment improves the benefit of managed grazing by integrating an additional suite of enhancements as a grazing system that address resource concerns associated on the land being contracted.

Criteria

- AGM offers the choice to select one of the following prescribed grazing enhancements:
 - For Range: E528N, E528P, E528R; or for Pasture: E528G, E528P, E528R, E528S or for Conifer Forests: E528H, E528L, E528T
 - And three additional enhancements (choose 3 from the list below) to provide a resource management level approach.
- Enhancements selected should be appropriate to the operation and address or improve resource concerns existing on the land. Some enhancements within the additional group may not fit together on certain sites.
- Enhancements shall not be “stacked” to increase payment for the same activity.
- Enhancements shall not be selected that contradict the purpose of another enhancement.
- Criteria for all four individual enhancements apply and must be followed. All documentation requirements for the individual enhancements must be met.
- If an applicant has already adopted one or more of the core or additional enhancements, the applicant may schedule the remaining enhancements as long as the applicant has not



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already implemented the activity. Payments may not be received for any activity that is already adopted.

- Applicants may choose to adopt the AGM on any portion of the agricultural operation and will be required to install the core or additional enhancements at the grazing unit level on all applicable acres where the enhancement suite is being adopted.
- The AGM additional enhancements are scheduled in the year in which all enhancements in the planned AGM suite are applied but no later than the third fiscal year of the contract.
- The AGM and its enhancement suite, once adopted, may continue to be implemented in all subsequent years through the end of the contract.
- The AGM’s Life Span is dependent upon the chosen additional enhancement lifespan. Each enhancement has its own individual life span and will need to be implemented accordingly.

Documentation and Implementation Requirements

Participant will:

- Follow the documentation and implementation requirements outlined in the respective enhancement job sheets to document the implementation of each enhancement in the AGM suite.
- Prior to and after implementation, document the planned amount, fields, applied amount and the year each enhancement in the AGM suite is applied:

Range Options:

Supplemental Enhancement Code	Tract, Field No. or Name	Planned Amount (units)	Applied Amount (units)	Year(s)
CORE PRESCRIBED GRAZING ENHANCEMENTS ADOPT ONE CORE ENHANCEMENT FROM THIS GROUP				
E528N				
E528P				
E528R				



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ADOPT THREE ADDITIONAL ENHANCEMENTS FROM THIS GROUP (NRCS contracts the enhancement with the appropriate cost list supplement component when available)				
E314A				
E315A				
E338A				
E382A				
E382B				
E472A				
E595E				
E645A				
E645D				

Pasture Options:

Component Enhancement Code	Tract, Field No. or Name	Planned Amount (units)	Applied Amount (units)	Year(s)
CORE PRESCRIBED GRAZING ENHANCEMENTS ADOPT ONE CORE ENHANCEMENT FROM THIS GROUP				
E528G				
E528P				
E528R				
E528S				



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ADOPT THREE ADDITIONAL ENHANCEMENTS FROM THIS GROUP (NRCS contracts the enhancement with the appropriate cost list supplement component when available)				
E314A				
E315A				
E338A				
E382A				
E382B				
E472A				
E511B				
E590C				
E595E				
E645A				
E645D				



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Forest (Conifer Only) Options:

Component Enhancement Code	Tract, Field No. or Name	Planned Amount (units)	Applied Amount (units)	Year(s)
CORE PRESCRIBED GRAZING ENHANCEMENTS ADOPT ONE CORE ENHANCEMENT FROM THIS GROUP				
E528H				
E528L				
E528T				
ADOPT THREE ADDITIONAL ENHANCEMENTS FROM THIS GROUP (NRCS contracts the enhancement with the appropriate cost list supplement component when available)				
E314A				
E315A				
E338A				
E382A				
E472A				
E645A				
E645D				



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NRCS Documentation Review:

I have reviewed all required participant documentation and have determined the participant has implemented the enhancement and met all criteria and requirements.

Participant Name _____

Contract Number _____

Total Amount Applied _____

Fiscal Year Completed _____

NRCS Technical Adequacy Signature

Date

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CSP-Advanced Grazing Mgt. Supplemental Payment				
Choose 1 Core	Contract Holder-	Contract #-		
Code	Title	Life Span	Ohio Supplement	Selected
E528G	Improved grazing management on pasture for plant productivity and health with monitoring activities	1 year	Yes	
E528P	Implementing Bale or Swath Grazing to increase organic matter and reduce nutrients in surface water	1 year	No	
E528R	Management Intensive Rotational Grazing	1 year	No	
E528S	Soil Health Improvements on Pasture	1 year	No	
Choose 3 Additional				
Code	Title	Life Span	Ohio Supplement	Selected
E314A	Brush Management to improve wildlife habitat	10 year	No	
E315A	Herbaceous weed treatment to create desired plant communities consistent with the ecological site	5 year	Yes	
E338A	Strategically planned, patch burning for grazing distribution and wildlife habitat	1 year	No	
E382A	Incorporating "wildlife friendly" fencing for the connectivity of wildlife food resources	20 year	Yes	
E382B	Installing electrical fence offsets and wire for cross-fencign to improve grazing management	20 year	No	
E472A	Manage livestock access to waterbodies to reduce nutrients or pathogens to surface water	10 year	Yes	
E511B	Forage harvest management that helps maintain wildlife habitat cover, shelter or continuity	1 year	Yes	
E590C	Improving nutrient uptake efficiency and reducing risk of nutrient losses on pasture	1 year	No	
E595E	Eliminate the use of chemical treatments to control pests and to increase the presence of dung beetles	1 year	No	
E645A	Reduction of attractants to human-subsidized predators in sensitive wildlife species habitat	1 year	Yes	
E645D	Terrestrial Habitat for Wildlife and Invertebrates	1 year	Yes	

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	A	B	C	D	E
1	CSP Advanced Grazing Management Supplemental Payment -Ohio				
2	Component Enhancement Code	Tract, Fld # or Name	Planned Amount (units)	Applied Amount (units)	Year (s)
3	Core Enhancement Selected-Select 1				
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5	Supplemental Enhancements-Select 3				
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11	<u>NRCS Documentation Review:</u>				
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13	I have reviewed all required participant documentation and have determined the participant has				
14	implemented the enhancement suite and met all criteria and requirements.				
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16	Participant Name _____			Contract # _____	
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18	Total Amount Applied _____			FY Completed _____	
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21	NRCS Technical Adequacy Signature			Date	